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BIG ROAD BUILDING PLAN

VICTORIA, B. C.—Government engineers from all parts of British Columbia have been in conference here to frame a road building program for 1928, which will cost this Province several millions of dollars. After hearing the recommendations of the engineers, the Government will determine the site of a new road loan to be floated shortly, financed by the provincial tax on gasoline. This loan is expected to be about the same size as the \$5,000,000 loan floated in 1927 and almost exhausted by the road building of that year.

Major projects to be carried out this year include the completion of the final link in the Cariboo Road system between Lytton and Spences Bridge; the construction of a road from Revelstoke to Golden, creating a new short route to Alberta; the commencement of a highway along the west coast of Vancouver Island; the extension of existing roads in the north of the Province westward toward the coast; and the continuance of the search for a road route from the interior to Prince Rupert. Many large bridges also will be built during the year.



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SPORT NOTES

CANUCK GETS CHANCE TO WIN WORLD TITLE

CHICAGO, Ill.—Sammy Mandell, lightweight champion of the world, will defend his title against Jimmy McLarnin, Vancouver sensation, in an outdoor match in Chicago next July. Promoter Jim Mullen announced today.

The time limit on the ultimatum given Mandell by the National Boxing Association has ten days yet to run, but Mandell has given Mullen his promise, to defend his crown against any one as early as a month ago.

From the half-dozen challengers named by the N.B.A., Mullen picked McLarnin as the contender best qualified to give the champion a battle, and draw crowds to one of the major ball parks.

DEMPEY WILL NOT QUIT, NEW YORK OPINION

NEW YORK.—If William Harrison Dempsey intended his retirement announcement as the prize joke of 1928, he has scored a bull's eye. It was the biggest fight story of the past week, the most important many months, and yet stricken this city as so incredible that it is being taken humorously.

In local fight circles it has been the biggest laugh in years. New York has pronounced it a preposterous combination of stale applause, unbelievable humor and plain, woe.

Summed up after several days of discussion, the reasons for his sudden infirmity seem to be: 1—John Public will not accept anything as a heavyweight championship bout unless Dempsey is one of the principals. It was necessary for Jack to become disabled in order to have Tunney's appearance in June taken seriously.

2—Tex Rickard was placed in a better strategic position in dealing with Tunney by holding back Dempsey until September. Dempsey will not fight for anyone but Rickard, and Tunney cannot fight for anyone until he first fights for Rickard. If Tunney insists on fighting twice this year, Rickard has him at his mercy. Tunney realizes he will make twice as much fighting Dempsey as he will fighting anyone else.

3—Tunney, weary of being played down while Dempsey was being played up, insisted on Jack's removal from the timetable.

There is still another angle, and that is that Dempsey may be planning to demand a more equitable division of the sports this year. He only received \$437,000 last time, while Tunney took down around \$499,000.

The fact remains that so long as there are 140,000 purses Jack Dempsey can find ways and means for spending them.

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KING GEORGE'S STALLION FOR WINNERS

R. James Speers of Winnipeg has been successful in obtaining the well-known thoroughbred stallion, Will Somers, from his Majesty King George VI. Only nine horses sired by Will Somers have been trained, and six of them have been winners. Somers, who was at Throfield Park and at Tijuana, are by this stallion. He was bred at his Majesty's establishment in England, and is King George's favorite, and therefore half-brother to London Cry. He was leased to the Prince of Wales, and since his arrival in Canada has been standing at the Prince's farm, "R.P." ranch in Alberta. Mr. Speers is a stalwart of racing in Western Canada.

ORCHIDS ON GRAVE OF BLACK GOLD

Sentiment has always been a fundamental of racing, and it is not often that a more striking demonstration of the part sentiment plays in the sport is seen than at New Orleans when Justice F. was the New Orleans handicapper. After the victory of Justice F., Mr. William B. Hill, owner of the winner, walked through the infield to the grave of Black Gold, with Jockey Pascua's black coat, and placed on the ground the horsethose of orchids which had encircled Justice F.'s neck in the judge's paddock after the race. This was the tribute of a horseman in the flush of a \$50,000 victory to the gamekeeper of a horse that had died with him, and three legs after he had broken the other.

JACK KEARNS AS PROMOTER

NEW YORK.—Jack Kearns the dapper docteur, former manager of Jack Dempsey, bitter enemy of Tex Rickard to roll all of his halo into one.

While he is still prosecuting his multitudinous suits against Dempsey, his chief mission in life has become to desire to appease his many grievances against the Madison Square Garden promoters. With that aim in view, he has declared his intention of the New York fight game as an active promoter, or at least as a silent partner, during the coming summer season.

Law Slew for Jack Word to this effect was received by the writer today. Kearns said that he had decided to write and, and has decided that the only course left is direct action. The courts have been too slow and also somewhat discouraging. Kearns has decided he can get more satisfaction by punishing Tex Rickard in the coming season.

Kearns will side with the promoter that leads the Polo grounds not only with his main campaign, but also with his money if he need financial help.

One Card Already The promoters are after the franchise—Jack Curley, Humbert Pugaz and a prominent boxing man refuse to allow his name to be used at this time. Two of these men are very close to Kearns, in fact, are intimate friends.

Kearns has one match ready for the ticket printers, Walker vs. Benny Leonard. If Leonard returns to the ring this year it will be against Walker. Negotiations have been under way for this bout for some time.

ENGLAND TAKES TO BILLY BARTON

Billy Barton once well known as the fast runner of America when he performed for Charles A. Stueham of the New York Giants, and in his colors won the \$25,000 Cuban Derby, is attracting considerable backing in England for the Grand National Steeplechase. His recent victory in the Winchester Handicap Steeplechase at Newbury convinced the turf followers over there that the horse, which is owned by Howard Bruce of Maryland, is a far-better jumper than at first was believed. After being retired from racing, Billy Barton became the property of Bruce, and was raced with considerable success at the hunt meeting in Maryland and New York, and impressed his owner to such an extent that Bruce determined to try the following Grand National, which was to be run March 20, and accordingly shipped him abroad some months ago for training.

CANADIAN GIRL IN CORONADO TOWN PLATE

On Sunday, March 11, the famous Newmarket Town Plate of England, in which women jockeys appear, will have its United States counterpart at Niagara, when the Coronado Town Plate will be run. One of the riders to take part will be Miss Betty Corbitt Taplin, 16-year-old daughter of Eddie Taplin, famous ex-jockey, of Windsor. Eddie Taplin was trainer for the famous Alexander Fuldners, and Miss Dorothy regularly jockeys horses for her father, Henry Johnson, sister of the noted jockey, A. Johnson. Lillian Jenkins, Nebraska jockey, and Pauline and Frances Irwin, daughters of C. E. Irwin, who campaigns a big stable at Tijuana, are likely to ride in the Coronado Town Plate.

SCHOOL COLUMN

Harold Horrocks, who took his last two years of high school work at the Strathmore school, and who holds a matriculation diploma, is now attending the Agricultural School at Orléans. From all accounts he is giving an excellent account of himself. After completing his course at Orléans, he intends to take the course leading to the B.S.A. degree at the University of Alberta.

Starting on March 1, the four rooms in the Public School No. 10 will start at 9 a.m. The two senior rooms have started at 9 o'clock throughout the winter.

Thursday, at a meeting of the School Fair Association, a prize list for this year's fair was drawn up. It is hoped to have type-written copies of this in the hands of the teachers very shortly.

Below is the first list of donations: H. Hudson, \$5.00; W. Hudson, \$5.00; A. Curry, \$5.00; S. H. Crowther, \$5.00; M. B. Garrett, \$5.00; David McKay, \$5.00; W. M. Watson, \$5.00; A. H. Strimpton, a pair of shoes; Thos. E. Wright, a sweater; Ray Melvin, \$2.00; F. Côté, 2 pairs of hats; M. Klumpin, \$2.00; H. Patterson, \$5.00; Mrs. Geo. Kearns, \$3.00 box of chocolates; R. Hamby, \$5.00; Cussey Nephew, \$1.00; Jas. Saunders & Son, \$5.00; A. Hollinger, \$5.00; Garth's Dept. Store, a pair of shoes; C. C. Mouldie, \$2.00; Barber & Cradock, \$5.00; Strathmore Pharmacy, a new pocket Kodak; Hughes Motors, \$5.00; Lambert's Drug Store, 2 years subscription to Needlecraft; Jan Macdonald, \$5.00; White & Son, \$5.00; A. A. Moore, \$5.00; Crown Lumber Co., \$10.00.

Arrangements for the holding of the Strathmore District Contest of the International Oratorical Contest are being forwarded. It is hoped to announce the date soon. The contest will be held in the Memorial Hall. A representative of each of the following schools will compete for the honor of being selected to deliver the oration in the contest. The contest is open to all district winners for the championship of southern Alberta: Dalmaden, Carleton Place, London and Strathmore. The contest will be held in the Strathmore High School. The contest is open to all Grade VIII pupils of a school competing in last year's School Fair. It is hoped that the rural schools will be interested in this contest. The subject is "Municipal Expenditures."

BIG REFINANCING PROJECT

OTTAWA.—The Commons have given preliminary approval to the half billion dollars refinancing of the Canadian scheme under consideration by Finance Minister Bennett when he raised the Finance Minister's resolutions and gave first reading to two bills authorizing the raising of \$500,000,000 and creating facilities for the turnover of the bonds.

Approximately half the billion dollars of Indebtedness—\$440,000,000—falls due in 1928, and \$50,000,000 falls due in the following year. The Legislative authority which is sought for the \$500,000,000, but which has not yet been passed, will be worked out if the financial markets are in proper condition, there will undoubtedly be further legislation in succeeding years to deal in a similar manner with the other half of the huge amount.

To Meet Debt From Revenue The Finance Minister announced to the house during the comparatively brief discussions in the preliminary stages that he expects to have a million Treasury to be able to meet with cash from year to year, debts falling due between now and 1928 in the following approximate amounts: 1928, \$52,000,000; 1929, \$60,000,000; 1930, \$52,000,000; 1931, \$77,000,000; 1932, \$75,000,000. The Finance Minister, however, he said, was based upon the assumption that revenues were maintained, "and that

GOLF

The question put to Ernie Whitelaw, one of Strathmore's enthusiastic golfers: "What is this golf?" and he in his quiet way, replied:

"Golf is a form of work made as expensive enough for a man to enjoy it. It is physical and mental exertion made attractive.

"Golf is a letter-marrying, ditch-digging and carpet-bowling game. If those three tasks had to be performed on the same hot afternoon, the above points would be enough to make gentlemen who required a different implement for every mood.

"Golf is the simplest thing I have seen in the world when you decide to take it up, and the toughest looking after you have been at it ten or twelve years.

"It is probably the only known game a man of my age can play a quarter of a century and then discover that it was too deep for me in the first place.

"The game is played on carefully selected ground with little white balls and as many clubs as the player can afford. Those little balls cost from 75 cents to \$25, and it is possible to support a family on one penny (all adults) for five months on the money represented by the balls lost, by some golfers in a single afternoon.

"A golf course has eighteen holes, seventeen of which are unnecessary and put in to make the game harder. There are the exceptions. It must be a 'green'. A 'green' is a small parcel of grass costing about \$158 a blade.

"The ball must not be thrown, pushed or carried. It must be propelled about by a bunch of curious-looking implements, especially designed to provoke the owner.

"Each implement has a specific purpose and ultimately some golfers go to know what that purpose is. There are the exceptions.

"After each hole has been completed the golfer counts his strokes. Then he subtracts six and says: 'Made that five. That's one above par.'"

we practice reasonable economy."

"Money is cheap in the markets of this world, and it is not so easy to get. It is advised by financiers that it will be a good time, in perhaps the present year or the next year, to do some borrowing and get the high rate of interest prevailing on these bonds out of the way, and also to get out of the way bonds that are exempt from income tax.

Seeks Commons Authority

"The House knows we cannot do this without the express sanction of the Commons. This is an opportunity of saying, because I do not wish to be hindered by bond brokers during the session, that it will be the intention of the Government to proceed with this immediately, but when we get time to work out the plan, I think we can save some country some money."

When the resolutions were in committee, William Irvine (Wetaskiwin) asked if it were within the power of the Government to call them in and Mr. Robb replied the negative. He informed the House that \$225,975,000 of the bonds were payable in New York and about \$11,668,000 payable in London. A considerable portion of them, he said, were tax exempt.

Mr. Irvine—I do not think we will ever have a better time than this. It is a chance to take up but one bond. I am still at a loss to know why the credit of Canada the Financial Minister takes to Wall Street with him in the pocket enough for Canada.

Mr. Robb—in this refunding we propose to give Canadians the preference. What is to the bond man? He will still have to come down to the rates of the world or we will go there ourselves also.

THE NEW EARL OF OXFORD

LONDON.—The Earl of Oxford and Anghol's heir is seven-year-old Julian, Viscount Anghol, son of the former prime minister's eldest son, Raymond Anghol, who was killed in action while serving with the Grenadier Guards in the great war.

Reeve Chamberlain's Report to the Ratepayers

The Reeve's Report
It is again my privilege to submit to you a brief report of the activities of your Council for the past year. Your Council and officers in 1927 consisted of the following: Reeve H. S. B. Chamberlain, Deputy Reeve E. P. Wheeler, Councillors E. Nelson, F. J. Nash, H. Groves and A. J. J. Weyers, Treasurer/D. N. Gardner, Auditors Messrs W. H. A. Thompson & Co., Chartered Accountants, and Dr. J. W. Gillett, Medical Officer of Health.

Eleven meetings of the Council were held in 1927, all of which were attended by all Councillors except the Deputy Reeve, who was unavoidably absent for two meetings. These meetings have, all been productive of some operation on the part of each Councillor for the benefit of the Municipality as a whole.

You have before you the auditor's report and financial statement for the past year, and I do not intend to comment at any great length on it either now or later on. If there should be any further questions which you care to ask regarding the financial statement after this report is read, I have no doubt but that the Chairman will permit them.

The report of the Medical Officer of Health, submitted to the Council shows that the general health of the Municipality during the past year has been good. We, fortunately, have been free from any serious epidemic, though affected by the general quarantine imposed by the Provincial Government during the epidemic of influenza. Comparatively few cases of scarlet fever, chickenpox and measles have been in the district in 1927. This quarantine effected thereby the spread of the infection through the district. The hardship of quarantine is actually a service to the community in that it protects the health of others outside of the home quarantine.

In accordance with the wishes of the last annual meeting, the contract with Strathmore and Bow River Valley Standard was again renewed, whereby each resident ratepayer is furnished with the Standard and the Council pay for this service at the rate of \$1.00 per annum per subscription.

Last Dominion Day, July 1st, being the Diamond Jubilee, the Council arranged for the official opening of the Recreation Grounds East and South of Carleton Place on the Bow River. This was carried out in cooperation with M. D. of Union No. 185. Due to the inclement weather, the function had to be postponed a few days, but on the day selected the weather was very agreeable. We wish to express appreciation of the work done by those who attended to the minutiae of the details connected with the opening of the grounds. The cost was borne equally by our Municipality and the Union Municipality.

We have been fairly free of legal troubles during the year, although we had suit entered against us on the recovery of \$2,000.00 on account of alleged breach of warranty in the sale of the Twin City engine lately owned by the Municipality. Naturally the Council had to enter a defence to this action which ultimately was withdrawn. It was not withdrawn soon enough by the originator of the action to enable the Council to escape considerable legal fees. On the other hand, the Council have been obliged to see legal advice concerning the C.P.R. bridge, and a prospective agreement regarding the lease of a tract.

During the past year the Council have had negotiations with the C.P.R. with the surrounding municipalities regarding the asked bridges of the company. Generally speaking the municipalities have arrived at a mutual agreement with the company where the company renew a bridge over their chas which is asked, by agreement to be aligned with the road, that the Municipality, individually, agree to construct the approach thereto. The company agree to maintain the approach thereto as part of their irrigation works. This much we believe is a step forward. Just lately the Council have agreed to allow over the bridge on the road allowances over the 2A spillway of the company. This spillway has been abandoned by the company and is now under taxation again. The bridge referred to are only in fair condition, one being good and the other two fair.

In the early part of the year an

offer was received from the Calgary agents of the Caterpillar Tractor Company to have them lease us a Caterpillar tractor of the regular type for two years. They proposed to lease this tractor to us on the basis of a minimum use of 450 hours in each year and to supply the gas, oil and repairs for the tractor and the engine to operate it for \$8.00 per hour. They further proposed to give us an option to purchase this tractor at the end of one year by applying \$5.00 per hour against the purchase price and to arrange the balance. Owing to the fact that representation by a sales man, was not in accordance with the facts of the case the Council did not go ahead with the proposal. We were told that he had two years in which to exercise the option. In view of these facts the Council again contracted the pulling of the 18500 tractor to private parties. The contract in the first instance was let to Mr. W. T. Rood, of Rockyford, but as he was unable to start the tractor the Council had to cancel his contract. The remaining part of the work was taken over by Mr. C. H. Hargrave.

The grant received from the Government for Secondary Roads in 1927 amounted to \$1875.00. The Council contributed a like amount, and this was all spent on the Secondary Roads north and south of the Town of Strathmore. The work was done under contract by Mr. O. J. Burgess, of Rosedale. We understand that the class of work done by this Municipality on their secondary roads has been taken as a criterion by The District Engineer in his inspections of other Municipalities' work. We understand that some other districts were refused the government's share of the money spent, due entirely to poor work done by the district. By doing our work by contract, we believe that we have acted in the best interests of the Municipality. The price paid was seven cents per cubic yard.

At the last annual meeting some time was taken up discussing the question of having a definite inspection, the council appointed one weed inspector in each division. The work done by these men appears to have been satisfactory, at least from the Council's point of view. If this method does not meet with the approval of the ratepayers we will have some expression of opinion pointing out some better method of handling this situation.

The question of the Council contributing towards a rest room in the Town of Strathmore was decided in the negative, as the Council felt that this matter was one which could better be taken care of by the Town without contribution from the Municipality.

The records of the Municipality have been inspected at least quarterly by the Auditor and on the 1st of June by the Inspector from the Department of Municipal Affairs. At all these inspections they have been found in order.

The amendments to the Statutes passed in 1927 were purchased by the Council. These, in conjunction with all amendments passed since 1923, and the Revised Statutes of 1922 are available for reference by any of the ratepayers.

In 1926 the Council set a mill rate of 4 mills on the dollar and as mentioned at the last annual meeting this rate caused a deficit on revenue account of \$415.73. Consequently in 1927 the rate was set at 5 1/2 mills on the dollar, and we find that this year the revenue deficit has been reduced to \$566.81. In view of the work done by the Municipality, we believe that this rate is reasonable. It should be noted, however, that any further service or work done by the District will, of necessity, cause the Council to increase the rate of taxation. From various sources we hear of requests for increased expenditures on roads, and while the Council are quite willing to agree to these requests, we feel that the ratepayers should be made acquainted with the increase in the rate of taxation which will be occasioned if these requests are met. The funds of the Municipality as at December 31st, 1927, in the Bank, are shown as \$13,055.82. This is a net increase of some \$8,000.00 over the amount on hand on December 31st, 1926, and is accounted for mainly by the fact that we did not pay off the balance of the Hall Insurance policy for December 31st, as in previous years we have done so. On the other hand, the Municipality still has \$5,000 in Province of Alberta Saving Certificates. The certificates draw 4 1/2%

On the 25th of this month you are

I Saw Last Week

W. SPRINGTHORPE busy calling for subscriptions for the Strathmore School Fair, and anyone overlooked unintentionally may find him up phoning 72. D. M. LUNNIE explaining that the resources of the Royal Bank are behind "Our Queen" at the Elks Banquet on February 27. LUNNIE, WHITEHEAD carefully reading Jim Gannon's copy of the Ottawa Journal, "You would think he owned it," said Jim, as he was looking at the paper was any news about his Golden Queen in that issue. ALEX CHAY trying to interest Jim Moran in a new line of sanitary equipment, but the popular plumber claims that he has more lines now than he can handle. FRANK CLUTCHIE says the Big Carnival Queen contest for February 27 would be more complete, had the committee arranged for a "Telephone Queen". W. R. PATTERSON and Jim Shimp-ton telling George Quinn that those birds in the Elks will know that they have taken part in a real contest if they can beat the "Legion Queen" at the Big Carnival on February 27. MATT SHIALI KIMPTON hurrying to an ever a long distance call from Calgary when he thought the message was from Glendale. "I'll take my time on the next call," he exclaimed as he crawled back into bed. W. N. WATSON joining the millionaire class by ordering liver and onions at the restaurant before prices advance. OY YOS vintner, ARCHIE CHAY working overtime for the "Girl Guides Queen". MARSHALL KIMPTON, asking Tom Glendinning how they could arrange to have their "Queen" enter in the "Big Carnival" contest on February 27. Tom says, "Yes, she is my Queen. Phil SHAMPE packing up his old bit bag on Saturday, previous to leaving for Rosebury, where he will furnish the natives with a real railroad service. He found it awful hard to say farewell, but he soon will recover as a good sailor has to do in every port. FRANK REALED putting over a winner in the "Rummy" contest and making George Anderson look sad. REXALL RUD, the District Engineer, at the Valentine Dance, in his new Spring suit. FRED A. COTT anticipating a really good time at the meeting of the Elks, RAY MELVIN insisting that "this Queen" will win in a walk at the Elks Carnival on February 27th. JIM SYLVAN mourningly gazing at his bonnet when George Quinn came into possession of it. KING KELLY completing first arrangements for the student supply of "terrible rovers" for the big carnival on February 27. You should see "Kelly's Queen".

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The bylaw regulating hawkers and pedlars has met with question in the last maintenance of the law. Information from the Department of Municipal Affairs which may clear up the obscure points in this question. But if the ratepayers do not wish the maintainer is self explanatory, as we would be glad to hear about it.

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DEPARTMENT

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Chicken Haddie, tin—	25c	Crosse & Blackwell Paste, Shrimp,	
Clams (whole) 2 tins, talls—	45c	Lobster, Sardine, &c.—	25c
Sardines, Jutland, 3 for—	25c		
Sardines, Norwegian, 2 for—	35c	Spaghetti, tin—	15c
Dry Pearl Hominy, 4 lbs.—	35c	Ketchup, 2 1/2, tin—	20c
Kipper Snacks, tin—	10c	Brooms, good quality, 5-string	50c

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KEOMA ITEMS

The weather in this district has been very mild for the past few weeks, which has brought out the gophers and the "pussy willows". Farmers are now thinking of cleaning grain and repairing machinery in readiness for farm work.

The regular meeting of the Keoma Glee Club was held on Friday, February 17, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kirby. There was a large attendance, and all reported having spent an enjoyable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kirby are being congratulated on the birth of a son, Lorne Ross, on February 2nd.

We were sorry to learn of Mr. Eric Rudd's accident. It seems that he crushed his finger very badly while doing some thresholding, but we understand that it is doing as well as can be expected now.

Miss L. Lilanot, formerly of Keoma, but now of Calgary, is at present staying with Mrs. James Percival, but expects to leave at the end of the week.

Word has been received in the district of the serious illness of Mrs. Hazel Small (nee Hinton). She is at present in a Calgary hospital having undergone an operation for appendicitis.

HOCKEY

STRATHMORE VS. CALGARY
 Last Thursday the Hendersons day hockey team came down and played the local boys. After a hard and fast game, fought through slush, the fight ended in a tie, 1-1.

The ice was very soft and wet, but the game was exciting and fast. Jack Grellin scored the only goal for Strathmore, while Carr scored for Calgary.

The teams lined up as follows: Strathmore—Goal, G. Grellin; defence, E. Crella and A. Gray; forwards, Jack Grellin, Wm. Brown, P. Gray, Mike Moran, Ed. Colman and C. Giroux.

Calgary—Goal, Thomas; defence, Heard and Huchinson; forwards, Huchinson, Carr, Johnson, Lane and Hill.

DALEMEAD

The Minister Show and Old Time Fiddlers Contest, presented by the Social Club last Friday evening, was decided success, and was attended by a capacity audience. The Minister show which, in part took the form of a mock trial, entitled "The Black Breach of Promise Case" produced rounds of applause and laughter. Everybody seems to have thoroughly enjoyed themselves. After the negro trial and performance, the old time fiddlers were introduced; some six of them competing for the leadership. Mr. James Ias was eventually declared the winner, with Mr. McLeary from Langdon, a close second. The Social Club made about one hundred and thirty dollars with this entertainment, and are to be congratulated for their good effort.

Mrs. Tom Stewart left Dalemead early last week to take up her new home at Vulcan. Mrs. Stewart is one of the old timers of the west. We were sorry to learn of her departure and hope that she will still enjoy many years in her new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Claffie returned last week from a pleasant stay at Vancouver.

Clarence Burquist is again back in Dalemead.

The Social Club is again planning to stage a pool tournament in the near future. This should prove an interesting form of entertainment, and will undoubtedly be closely contested as it was last year.

COMING EVENTS

A P.U.A. meeting will be held in the Memorial Hall on March 2nd, at one o'clock. Report of delegate from annual convention. Anyone wanting forgo phone or see the secretary or Leslie West on or before this meeting.

Auction sales, A. Layzell—February 27, G. D. Mahan; February 28, W. C. Eys.

Hillie's Theatre, Friday and Saturday, February 24th and 25th, Sally O'Neil and Roy Darcy in "Prize Sally Lavin".

NAMAKA

Mr. G. Wooster arrived home on Saturday from Olds, where he has been attending the School of Agriculture.

Miss Grace Scher was a week end visitor at the home of Mrs. Wheeler.

The young people are enjoying the skating on the new rink erected by Mr. Bremner.

A slight error occurred in last week's notes from the Aid. The sick committee should have read, Mrs. Behan and Mrs. Johnson; the executive, Mrs. Wheeler and Mrs. Peterson. Future meetings of the Aid have been arranged in the following manner: Mrs. Wheeler, March; Mrs. H. E. Thomson, April; Mrs. Peterson, May.

Mr. Jack Kloked, of Calgary, is busy engaged in putting down some of the coal kins of the U.G.G. and removing them to Stokert.

Mr. Dick Behan and son, George, and Mr. Enrie, chartered Olds on a "bergs plane," "Spirit of St. Louis" on a return trip to Clatterton to take in the hockey game last week.

A dance has been announced for February 29.

The C.G.T. girls are quite enthusiastic in their work under Leader Mrs. Waters. Physical training and folk dancing are some of the interesting features.

At the regular meeting of the regular meeting of the Rebekah Lodge No. 95, four candidates were initiated, viz: Miss Mary Scher, Miss S. Peterson, Mrs. A. C. Moore and Mrs. Ike Pawks. The degree team were Sister McIntosh, N.G.; Sister McLean, P.N.G.; Mrs. James McLean, degree captain and chaplain; assisted by Sister Colman, R.S.V.G.; Sister G. Scher, L.S.V.G.; Sister Thomson, L.S.V.G.; Mrs. C. Edwards, conductor; and Sister Baker, Warden.

Wheat Pool Meeting will be held in the Memorial Hall on Tuesday, March 6th, at 8 p.m. The meeting will be addressed by Mr. Ben Plummer, of Bassano. Everyone is invited to attend, whether members of the pool or not.

Local Jottings:-

Ray Nichol, who has been doing relief work at Duchesne, returned on Saturday to resume his work on the local bank staff.

Fred J. Dunn regrets that owing to increased family duties he cannot leave the city to enter the big golf tournament, carrying \$15,000 in cash, to be played over the La Gorce course at Miami, Florida on March 18, 19, and 20.

Mr. Oscar Moorhouse has returned from a trip to Portland, Oregon. He saw Mr. Shaw a few days before the death of the latter, who, while not in robust health, was not anticipating such an early demise.

The I.O.D.E. Queen for the Big Carnival contest on February 27, will certainly make the other contestants step lively: One flag, one throne, one empire, one Queen. Let's go!

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. Anderson, of Arrowwood, will be pleased to learn that their son "Tommy" has been successfully operated on for appendicitis. Mrs. R. Bailey saw him in Calgary a few days ago, and he was making a splendid recovery.

Frank Sharpe, who has been assisting D. A. Perry, has been transferred to Rossmore, and his successor will be Mr. Korman. Frank left on Saturday for his new position.

Fred J. Dunn is up in arms about the Big Carnival Contest on February 27. He claims that his youngest daughter, the belle of the town, was not given an opportunity to enter, owing to the jealousy of the other fair competitors. "My cousin," said Fred, "I really should not blame them, as against her they would not have a chance, and now I am in a quandary whether to support the contest or the Girl Guides Queen, the sister organization of the Boy Scouts."

Jin Quan, who left for a visit in China, has reached his home safely, and writes that he is having a good time in the land of the poppy, but he will be glad when he may return to Strathmore.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fraser are being congratulated upon the birth of a son on February 13th, at Miss Marchant's Hospital.

Word has been received that "Tex" O'Grady had a clash with Mulligan, of Moose Jaw, and came out of the encounter with a dislocated shoulder.

"Tex" O'Grady is hoping that he will not be long up for repairs.

Dick Lilly had the pleasure of driving Dr. Harrier north last Friday, in an effort to save a sick C.P.T. horse. After combing bad roads for hours and working upon the sick horse for hours, the faithful steed gave up the ghost. "Doctor" Dick remarked that it wouldn't have been so bad if the horse hadn't died; but after a guy drives a car out of numerous holes and breaking two shovels in this effort and playing marbles for hours only to see unheeded and your efforts to no avail, is too much of a good thing.

Mrs. J. A. Johnston, of Medicine Hat has been in the guest of Mrs. E. E. Gray, on her way home from the Bonifant Carnival.

Mr. Palmer, representative of the famous House of Hoberlin, has written to Mr. Thomas E. Wright that he will be in Strathmore on Saturday, March 10th, with a full line of samples for a car out of numerous holes and breaking two shovels in this effort and playing marbles for hours only to see unheeded and your efforts to no avail, is too much of a good thing.

Mr. Towell, representative of the Hall Board at the Bow Valley annual meeting informed the ratepayers that D. N. Gardiner here had not only one of the youngest secretaries in the Province, but also one of the best and best looking.

Recall Red tried out on Sunday a new remedy on himself; result, he was able to occupy a front seat in the Synagogue.

Mr. Wilfred Gardner came from Calgary on Saturday last, and was the guest of Mr. Norman Gately for the week end.

Mr. N. Macdonald is spending a few days in Calgary this week.

Miss Gladys Hughes enjoyed a few days vacation in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Jones have returned from their eastern trip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lydiatt motored to Calgary Saturday last.

The Ladies Aid of the United Church will meet this week at the home of Mrs. T. Gatenby.

Ladies Mixed Bouspiel

A very successful mixed bouspiel was held February 12th to 14th, in which the ladies played skip and lead position, and the men second and third.

The event was a double knockout mixer, and a consolation for those who did not win anything. A book prize was also played for by rinks knocked out in the consolation.

Eight rinks entered the contest and were skipped by Mesdames Hirtle, Whitehead, Freeman, Sorenson, Brown, Fessenden, Bower and Perry, and the games were keenly contested through out. A number of them being won in the last end by a margin of only one or two points.

In the eight games played, Mrs. Hirtle, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Whitehead and Mrs. Fessenden were the winners, and Mrs. Bower, Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. Sorenson and Mrs. Brown the losers.

The winning four teams then played off, the result of which was a win by Mrs. Perry, the runner-up being Mrs. Hirtle, both teams put up a splendid fight with a very close finish.

Mrs. Perry's team won the hand-some shield presented by Mr. A. D. Gatenby, and the runner-up, which was this was supported by four pyrex plates donated by Messrs. Barber & Craddock. Mrs. Hirtle's team won four handsome boxes of soap donated by that well-known bachelor, Mr. Geo. W. McKee.

In the play-off for the four ladies' teams, Mrs. Bower won first prize, very pretty cups and saucers donated by T. Gatenby, and Mrs. Freeman's rink were the runner-up, winning four pairs of lad, donated by Martin Garrett and Fred Cott.

In the consolation, four teams entered. Mrs. Sorenson, Mrs. Whitehead, Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Fessenden. Mrs. Whitehead's rink won first prize, four handsome boxes of chocolate, donated by R. Patterson; and Mrs. Sorenson second, two thermos bottles given by M. A. Bollinger, and two boxes chocolates given by Mrs. G. Korman.

Mrs. Fessenden and Mrs. Brown played for the booky prize, which was won by the latter, powder puffs for the winners, and hairpins for the losers, donated by Mrs. J. Anderson.

Sidelights
 It was wonderful to see the marvelous control some of the skips had when waiting for orders. The poor fellows even had to sweep when told!

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Letter to the Editor

BOW VALLEY MUNICIPAL BUILDING

Editor Strathmore Standard,
 Dear Sir:

In view of the fact that this Municipal District is submitting to the people a By-law to authorize an expenditure for the purpose of building a fireproof office building, I beg to give the following information regarding the Council's action.

At the last annual meeting, 1922, it was voted that the Council proceed with the construction of a new office as soon as possible. Under the provisions of the Municipal District Act it is necessary for the Council to submit to the ratepayers for their approval all questions of this nature, including the expenditure of a sum in excess of \$10,000 in any one year.

The cost of this building, I expect, will be in the neighbourhood of \$250,000, although the By-law gives a further limit of \$300,000 in excess of this amount. The money will be raised by a sale of taxation in each of the years of 1928 and 1929, and in the first instance will be available from the actual cash on hand carried over from previous years. Spreading the cost over the two year period will mean an increase of not more than one-half a mill on the Municipal tax rate in each of the years mentioned.

The Council are, very much in favor of the construction of this building as they feel that it is only right and proper that the records of the Municipality should be safely protected from any chance of fire. They feel that the initial cost is only about 5% of the value of the Municipal records and that the loss of the records would mean a loss to the Municipality which could never be replaced.

The Council urge every ratepayer to register his vote on the By-law, either in support of the By-law or otherwise. They desire a full vote on this question.

Yours very truly,
 H. S. B. CHAMBERLAIN
 Reeve M. D. Bow Valley No. 219

best poses, but Harry says that he didn't say anyone—but then, he was sweeping. Yes, his wife told him to. No! said.

In the old days one would have said the ladies would be uncomfortable as sweeping ought to practice at home, but in these days of vacuum sweepers, it is different.

The men will have to watch their step when it comes to sweeping. The ladies are right there when it comes to sweep. They also make excellent leads.

Wonder if any housework has been overlooked of late, but then, hubby generally gets home by about six o'clock or thereabouts, so we'll let it go at that.

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LABOR OPPOSES NEW
BRITISH PRESS MERGER

LONDON—Lord Rothermere's announcement of a £7,500,000 newspaper project for the establishment of a chain of evening papers throughout the British Isles is denounced by Ramsay MacDonald, ex-prime minister as "an alarming situation" requiring possible legislation for the protection of the public. The leader of the Labor Party forewarns in the attempt to form the latest journalistic tract a new press offensive against Labor.

Fourteen big cities have been selected by Northcliffe's brothers for the experiment beginning with Glasgow, Newcastle, Manchester, Birmingham and Bristol; and later Edinburgh, Aberdeen, Liverpool, Sheffield, Hull, Nottingham, Wolverhampton, Leicester and Cardiff.

The Berry brothers, the rival group, have already been successful in six cities of the provinces. The new Rothermere dailies will be supplied with dispatches from the London Mail and pictures from the Mirror.

The Daily Herald, Labor organ, says that Lord Rothermere and his six associates are represented as directors of public corporations aggregating £15,522,000 capital, exclusive of numerous private enterprises of which no public record is kept. "The greater portion of the readers of the evening papers," says the Herald, "are members of the working class, and if the

ROSEBUD
The Ladies Aid met with Mrs. W. J. Crowe Thursday afternoon. Plans were completed for the entertainment at the Church on March 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McLaughlin entertained a party of young people Saturday evening.

Mrs. H. Jones had her sister, Mrs. Huber, of Carstairs, visiting her for a day last week.

The Misses Murphy entertained at dinner Sunday, a number of young people.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Engbaum visited the dentist in Drumheller Thursday.

Only a few men attended the "beet" at the Church Thursday, but they got the debris cleared away and ready for the carpenter work the early part of this week.

Mr. H. Summers was a Calgary visitor last week.

L. W. Constock spent the week end in Calgary.

Mr. J. Walker has purchased a Sawyer-Massey separator through the Co-operative.

Mr. Ben Plummer, of the wheat pool staff, gave an interesting talk on the wheat pool in the hall Friday afternoon.

The Co-operative Association put on an instructive demonstration on tractors at their grounds Friday.

The annual municipal meeting was held at Redlands Saturday afternoon.

On Saturday evening, the 18th inst., at a farm home some miles south-east of Redlands, Ray Schultz was killed by L. Franklin, who immediately surrendered to the police.

The next regular meeting of Rosebud United Church Ladies Aid will be held on Thursday afternoon, the 1st of March, at Mrs. O. S. Engbaum's home.

The "Father and Sons" banquet held in the basement of the United Church on Saturday evening last was attended by thirty-five fathers and sons. The Pastor, Rev. P. Halstead, proposed the toast to "The King," which was responded to lustily. The principal address of the occasion was given by Mr. Gordon Lloyd, provincial secretary of the Boys' Work Board of the Religious Education Council of Alberta. Through this was the first gathering of its kind held in Rosebud; everyone present pronounced it an eminent success.

Rev. Percy Halstead, B.A., B.D., pastor of the United Church, announced on Sunday evening last, that next Sunday, the 25th inst., there would be an "Abraham Lincoln" service, with special music by the choir.

If the scheme is successful, the new papers will add to the copious stream of misrepresentation of the labor movement which issues daily from the capitalist newspaper.

NEWS

ROCKYFORD

The Ladies Club held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. C. H. Walrod last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. C. H. Walrod gave a demonstration on basketry, which was well received.

Dr. H. D. Hewson is moving into his new quarters next to the Meat Market, with an up-to-date dress and ice cream parlor.

Messrs Gillespie and Carpenter have built an addition to the hardware store, to be used as a machine shed. They unloaded a car of John Deere tractors this week, which are on display opposite the store.

The dance held under the auspices of the rateraters, was a real success. It was held on February 16th, and took the form of a Valentine novelty dance. Everyone reported a good time.

The Canadian Club held their monthly banquet and meeting at the Rockyford Hotel last Wednesday afternoon. L. Gen. Sir Archibald Macdonald, of Calgary, was the speaker of the day. He gave a talk on the "History of Canada and Why Everyone should become Citizens of Canada."

C. R. Walrod has unloaded his second carload of McCormick-Deering tractors.

Mr. Fred Gibson attended the General Motors Convention in Calgary last week.

Mr. A. L. Patterson, of Redlands, was renewing acquaintances in Rockyford last week, attending the dance.

Mr. H. R. Duff was the winner of the shingles in the cribbage tournament and Messrs J. McRobbie and J. McTaggart were the winners of the doubles in the recent tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henke are celebrating over the birth of a son at the Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary.

Mr. R. D. Hewson entertained the young people at a bridge party last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Gibson entertained the grown-ups at a bridge party Thursday evening.

Rockyford Motors have installed a runway for changing oil and greasing cars.

Annual general meeting of the M. D. of Grasswood was held at Redlands on Saturday, February 18th. There were vacancies for Councilors in three Divisions: Redland, Standard and Judge.

The Young People's Club of the United Church held their regular meeting last Thursday evening in the basement of the church. Quite a number attended. A very interesting missionary program was carried out, and a Valentine box was opened to all present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dahm and family left for a two weeks' visit to the States last Friday.

Next Friday, February 24th, a Men's Banquet will be held at the United Church. Rev. E. J. Richard of Calgary, will speak on his experiences as a judge of the Juvenile Court. The Ladies Aid will support the cause. A discussion as to the advisability of organizing a Men's Brotherhood, a branch of the Beaver Brotherhood, will take place.

The Ladies Aid of the United Church are going to hold a Birthday Party on March 2nd. Look for our notice.

MARGOT ASQUITH WAS
TIRELESS IN DEVOTION
TO HER DYING HUSBAND

LONDON—To the Countess of Oxford and Asquith—better known as Margot Asquith—political writers give credit for having had so much to do with her husband's success in climbing to the exalted position of prime minister of England.

Herbert Asquith, it is pointed out, was a great scholar, an erudite statesman and in the forefront of England's orators. But he was in many respects somewhat difficult and retiring where his personal interests were concerned, was not of the type to push his self into the limelight. His brilliant wife furnished those qualities which

Auction Sales

Instructed by G. D. Mahan, who is giving up farming, I will sell by Public Auction, absolutely without reserve, at his farm, 8 miles East and 1 mile South of STRATHMORE, and 8 miles Northwest of RAMAKA, on

Monday, Feb. 27
1928, at 11 o'clock sharp

8 HEAD OF HORSES
Completing Team Black Geldings, 1200 lbs.; Team Mares, 1200 lbs.; Team Brown Mares, 1150 lbs.; 1000 Mare, 1200 lbs.; Bay Gelding, 1200 lbs.
4 Milk Cows — 7 Stocker Hops, 2 Brood Sows.
IMPLEMENTS & MACHINERY
John Deere, Binder, Seed Drill, Stage Disc, 2 Sets Harrows and Cart, Running Gear and Grain Wagon, Running Gear and Lumber Rack, Set Bobblelegs, Cutter, Doubletree, Logging Chain and Tools.

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McCormick Steel Range, McCormick Heater, 3 Chairs, 2 Drawers, 2 Beds, Couch, Dishy, 2 Rugs, 2 Rockers, 10 Laval Separator, Washing Machine, Stove, miscellaneous effects too numerous to mention.

Quantity of Feed Oats.
A Large Quantity of Potatoes.
Lumber, Shingles — Terms Cash. Further Entries of Horses, Cattle, or Machinery, will be accepted for this sale.

Instructed by W. C. Eys, who is renting his farm, I will sell by Auction, 5 miles South and Half mile West of CHEADLE, 5 1/2 miles East and 1 mile South of RAMKON, 1 mile East and 8 miles North of STRATHMORE.

Tues. Feb. 28
1928, at 11 o'clock sharp.

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CARLELAND

Ernie Dick was removed to Calgary General Hospital to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Don't forget the Masquerade dance to be held in the Community Hall on February 21st, under the auspices of the Ladies Club.

William Lawton, son of Hans Lawton, was united in marriage to Miss Lena Larsen at Calgary during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson entertained the C.G.I.T. group and a number of their friends on Wednesday evening. A very enjoyable time being spent.

Jas. Gibson, local garage owner, returned last Friday from an extended trip to California and coast points.

Frank Davis, Fred Barlow, Andy Anderson, Nick Holden, Bob Holden were visitors taking in the sights of the big city last week end.

A large number of the Carleland people patronized the dance held at the High School House on Friday night.

J. G. Forbes, of the local Chateau, was confined to his bed the greater part of the week.

The tele of Mrs. Frank Nash will, about the 1st of March, occupy the cottage on Royal Avenue for the purpose of opening a beauty parlor for ladies.

A. O. Myers has engaged an assistant for the coming season to handle the tractor and others of the farm implements.

The Board of Directors of the Community Hall are figuring on making further improvements to the Ladies Club room.

A supper and play will be held in the Carleland Community Hall on Friday, March 2nd, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid, for the benefit of the Wood's Orphan Home of Calgary. The supper will be served from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and the three act comedy entitled "Bobby First" will be staged at 8:30 p.m. sharp. Keep this date in mind, and come, and support this worthy cause.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Melendy entertained a number of the young people to a dining party at their home last Saturday evening.

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NEW ZEALAND IS OPPOSED TO STATE SUBSIDIES

AUCKLAND, N.Z.—The New Zealand Government is finding it very difficult to pull up on the slope of export subsidies. Indeed, it has just accelerated speed by announcing that a subsidy on pork for export will be paid for the next three years, and that the amount the first year will be \$200,000. For some time the fruit-growers have been working under a subsidy, which has just been renewed. Ministers have proclaimed their dislike of this policy of state subsidy; indeed when Mr. J. G. Coates, the present Prime Minister, took office, he said he set his face firmly against this sort of thing. President, however, is powerful, and so are the dairying interests of which pig-raising is a part. It is difficult to refuse to one industry what is given to another.

In announcing the decision to grant a subsidy, Mr. Coates says the Government has been extremely reluctant to make any attempt to bolster up an industry which is economically unable to hold its own, and has regarded such a proposal as quite objectionable form of Government interference in business, which it is the policy of the Government to avoid. However, the Government, in view of the importance of the pork export industry, has decided to make an exception in this case.

The pork industry says Mr. Coates, may properly be regarded as a necessary advance in the dairying industry. The close connection between the dairying and pork industries is now generally recognized throughout the world, and nowhere more so than in New Zealand, one of the most intense of dairying countries, where the value of pork products is very nearly equal to that of dairying products. If New Zealand is to hold its position as a prominent dairying country and her farmers are to be given relatively equal opportunity, New Zealand must dispose economically of the by-products of her dairies by turning them into pork. The amount of pork in the Dominion has greatly increased, but the difficulty is in the overseas markets.

The increased pork consumption has been largely exceeded, but the recent drop in export prices has struck a severe blow at producers. Hence the Government's decision to grant a subsidy. This will be \$200,000 the first year, and it is anticipated that in the next two years the amount required will be progressively reduced. Details of the scheme have yet to be worked out.

A GREAT DISCOVERY

VICTORIA, B.C.—Dr. H. C. Welch, Liberal, Skeena, stated in the Legislature that the University of British Columbia had discovered a new chicken disease elimination which would mean an annual saving to the province of one million dollars.

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A doctor at a dinner took in, as his partner, a gushing young lady.
"Is it true, Doctor?" she said, "that you are a lady-killer?"
"Madam," replied the doctor, gravely, "I make no distinction between the sexes."

Judge: "Why do you want a divorce?"
Pat: "Alas! My husband is a fiend in human form. He plunks nothing of knocking me down or pushing me downstairs. He often throws boiling water on me, throws me out of the window twice, and once—Judge, I can stand other things, but not this—once he wiped his hands on one of my gossamer towels."

Father: "Isn't that young man rather fast?"
Aggie: "Yes, but I don't think he'll get away."

When I got home at 2 a.m.
To find my wife waiting in wrath, And, in a torrent nagging, can stem. Pours all her hot reproaches forth. One blessed thing I dwell upon—Thank God, I'm not King Solomon.

For Sale—one daughter, between nine and ten years old. Mother-in-law says her legs are too long but the donkey's legs are too short, and she can't ride him because she has corns on her toes and her feet bump on the ground.

Sandy took his eighteen-year-old nephew to Hirtle's Theatre the other night and bought only one ticket.
"You will have to have a ticket for the boy," said Mr. Hirtle.
"Meester," answered Sandy, "I got my word as a sheldonnah he won't look."

"Willie, have you made somebody happy this last week?" asked Fred J. Dunn.
"Yes, sir," replied Willie, promptly.
"That's fine, and now tell us what you did."

"I've been to see my aunt because it always makes her happy when I go home again."

Mother: "No dear, I gave you a good big piece of cake, and that's enough."
Andrew: "Oh, but, Mamma, one good big deed deserves another."

Madam: "I wish you wouldn't sing while you work, Bridget. It's very annoying."

Bridget: "I wasn't working, madam. I was only singing."

"Is your son still pursuing his studies at school?"
"I believe so; he's always behind."

A colored preacher had just concluded a sermon on "Satisfaction in Life" and announced that the collection would be taken up for the benefit of the person and his family. A member in the audience objected to the paradoxical nature of the proceedings and received this bit of logic in response:

"I hope you was thirty an come to a river. Ye could kneel right down an' drink yo' fill couldn't yo? But water would be free. But, up'n yo' was to hab dat water piped to yo' house, yo'd have to pay, wouldn't yo? Well, brudder so it is wid salvation. De salvation an' free, but it's de habin' it piped to yo' yo' go to pay fo'."

An old Southern planter was discussing the heretofore with one of the colored servants. "Sam," he said, "I'll give you five dollars if you can knock and tell me what I like over there. If I do first, I'll come back and tell you what I like."

"That suits me, Massa," replied the old negro, "but if you die first, Ah wants you to promise me dat you'll come back in de daytime."

Bill Tierney: "What's the reason for raising the price of gasoline?"

Alf Carlson: "Why should that bother you—you haven't even got a car?"

Molly Cassidy: "Shure, Pat, I had a certificate of character, but I lost it comin' over. Ibwat shud I do?"
Pat Murphy: "Niver mind, Molly, I write ye wan."

Writes like this: "This is to certify that Molly Cassidy had a good character before she left the old negro, but I lost it on shipboard comin' over."

Our latest Scotch importation tells of how Sandy McPherson decided to leave school because he had to pay attention.

"What's the difference between a Scotchman and a cocoanut?"
"Well, you can get a drink out of a cocoanut."

A couple went to the manse to get married. After the ceremony the bridegroom called the minister aside and whispered confidentially in his ear: "I'm awfu' sorry I cannot pay ye as much as I would like to, but if ye take me down to your collar I'll show ye how to fix up your electric light meter so that it winna register!"

"My dear," he began, "do you love me?"
"Oh, Gene!"
"Don't you, dear? Just a little bit?"
"Well, yes, Gene!"
"And if I married you would your father give us a separate establishment?"

"Yes, Gene."
"And take me into partnership?"
"Yes, Gene."

"And would your mother keep away from us except when I invited her?"
"She would, Gene."

"And would your brothers and sisters, too?"
"Very certainly, Gene!"
"And of course the old gent would settle my debts?"

"Of course, Gene!"
"And buy us a motor car and provide you with a handsome dowry?"

"Yes, Gene!"
"Darling, will you marry me?"
"No, Gene!"

A young barrister had been retained on behalf of a farmer who was claiming damages against a railway company for killing one of his pigs. He was extremely anxious to impress the jury with the magnitude of the client's loss. "Imagine 12 pigs," he exclaimed, "a large number, number 12—the number there is in the jury box!"

An exchange tells a very good one concerning Tony Grogan, a travelling man, and a pretty hotel waitress. The yarn is based on the idea, correct or not, that commercial drummers sometimes seek to flirt with girls they meet during their travels.

In this instance it is said that when the waitress approached the table to take Tony's order he put on his most seductive smile and remarked: "Nice day, isn't it?" She promptly agreed to that state of the weather, saying: "Yes, it is, and so was yesterday, and my name is Ella, and I know I am a little peach and have lovely eyes, and I have been here quite a while and don't think I'm too nice a girl to be working here. I don't think there is a chance in town tonight and wouldn't go with you if there were. I'm a respectable girl from the country, and my brother is cook here and he is a 200-pound football player. Last week he nearly ruined a fresh travelling man who tried to flirt with me. Now, what'll you have—roast beef, roast pork, Irish stew or fried liver?"

"Irish stew," said Tony.

"A Baw Wee Land"

The following, stated to be by a Sunday School boy:

Scotland is a baw wee land on the North of England; it has water nearly all around it, and whiskey over a large part of it.

The population had about four and a half millions, including the late Andrew Carnegie. It has a peculiar language, of its own and if one can pronounce it correctly or coherently it is an infallible test of sobriety. It possesses considerable wealth, but very little of it finds its way out of the country.

W. S. Paterson maintains that gold has at times been found in certain districts as well as in the pockets of certain actors, but in both cases it has been difficult to work. The best known exports of Scotland are Harry Lauder and Scotch Whiskey, though sufficient of the latter is retained in the home country to satisfy the demands of home consumption.

The national dress of Scotland is the kilt, which is a kind of short petticoat. In pattern it resembles a chess board, though in cold weather the wearer finds it more like a draught (draft) board. It is believed to have been invented because the aborigines were unable to find trousers big enough to get their feet through.

The bagpipes provide the chief music of the country. It is a wind instrument and which Hector McGregor claims, when blown, will produce a tune.

On many occasions in the history of war the Scotch Regiment have marched to death listening to the strains of the bagpipes, though it is not known whether their willingness to meet the former was inspired by their desire to escape the latter.

Scotland has produced many well-

known men, among them being Robert Burns, believed to have been a poet; Jack Macdonald, a politician who made Rothery famous; T. M. Wears of Dundee, the marmalade town; and Jim Gunn, from Cathness, the man who made Tex Rickard jealous. It is usually claimed that the former was born in Baltimore. His most noted poem at present, has no juridical standing should become one of the principal constitutional organs of the state. No details of the reform are yet available, but both in its formation and the way it works will be altered.

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"Why I believe in God," was the text of his address, which he effectively developed to show, according to his understanding of them, the beauty and the goodness of God. He related out of the fulness of his experience, stories of the domestic life of the moose, the beaver, the snow shoe rabbit and other animals and how Divine Providence, in the form of nature, takes care of these. Young Jack on his own life told some of his experiences in instancing those occasions when in the answer to prayer, he was guided, on one occasion to a man and upon another to a boy, who had been lost in the woods, with no means of reaching them. Jack Miner does not preach; he persuades, and to hear him is to believe.

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THE PROBUS CLUB HAVE GREAT OPPORTUNITY

Some little time ago it was suggested that some of the members of the Calgary Trocus Club should be invited to visit Strathmore and give an address explaining in detail what the Club has been able to accomplish in keeping the roads open in Calgary, and at what expense to the Club.

The keeping of the roads open has reached the point that it is the most important Community work that may be taken up by any local organization. Just what should be done is not quite so clear, nor the most satisfactory method to adopt. Not absolutely unanimous, but the verdict is surely universal that the time has arrived when the roads must be kept open.

They must be kept open in order that business may not be blocked; they must be kept open for the convenience of the farmers of the district, and they must be kept open in order that the value of farm lands along and adjacent to open highways may not be reduced and handicapped. Twenty years ago every snowstorm meant a blockade of the railways, and quite a common event for trains to reach their destination from one to three days late. Why? Simply because at that time the railways were not properly equipped to meet the conditions. Today it is seldom that more than a few hours delay is caused by any storm, and it is nothing unusual under quite adverse conditions to see the trains running quite on time during a heavy snow fall, and the explanation is that they have the equipment and experience. The same condition may be secured for the roads by the obtaining of the proper equipment.

Another very important point in keeping the roads open will be the famous saying that will be made in road maintenance through saving the millions of dollars that are absolutely lost each spring.

It surely would help to have an address from Mr. A. I. B. McKay, of the Calgary Trocus Club, who has been elected in, and has made a study of the subject, and in addition, is an enthusiast upon all matters of interest to the automobilist.

PUBLIC SPEAKING IS RECEIVING MUCH ATTENTION

The Standard is much pleased with the attention that is being given to developing the gift of public speaking by Principal S. H. Crowther in the Strathmore School, and the teachers at Langdon, Carleton Place and elsewhere.

When the importance of this work is considered, and how much public speaking has to do with the affairs of life, it is not surprising that it should attract the efforts of the teachers in developing the natural abilities of the pupils; without their work these qualities would remain dormant.

It is to be hoped that among one of the pupils from this district, one of the boys who is taking part in the Great Oratorical contest to be held in Calgary shortly.

The Toronto Globe has the following upon the subject of public speaking:

Great orators are also to be found in the most ordinary, history is full of instances of this, and our readers will recall passages in Shakespeare in which this is fully demonstrated. But there is much to be learned in public speaking; there must be no mistakes in grammar; there must be a clear understanding of the value of the words; the speaker must be a thorough knowledge of the subject spoken of; there must be clear thought, a proper arrangement of argument, a ready wit to answer questions, a ready wit to answer questions, courtesy, honesty, and a knowledge of elocution. This by itself is a formidable task, but would be speaker will find by experience that it is by no means a simple one.

Public speaking has been regarded as an art for centuries. The Greeks and Romans cultivated it highly, and as time went on the laureates of Peter the Hermit, the ecclesiastics of medieval preaching, the earnest apostles of the Reformation, and the stormy apostles of the French Revolution were all forms of it. Our own British history shows the changes which have taken place in it. It has been well pointed out that there have been in this four great schools of public speaking, of oratory, or of eloquence, whichever term is preferred. The first was marked by such men as Chatham and Burke, Sheridan, Walpole, Pitt, and Lord Chesterfield. The second included William Pitt Fox, Grattan, Windham, Canning, Palmerston and Thackeray. The third was dominated by Peel, Brougham, Lambart, Shill, O'Connell, Parnell, Gladstone, Derby, Lowe, Disraeli, Russell, Cobden and Bright. The fourth is the distinctly modern school, represented by Asquith, Lloyd George, Churchill, Snowden, Birkenhead and Baldwin. We advise our readers to study the speeches of these men, and then, and then, with those made by great speakers of today. One are the various styles of the olden days, and the modern one, the one required today, can be taken to be that of Premier Baldwin who abhors declamation and the old oration. Again it can be said that today brevity is wanted, and that means study in condensation. The Prince of Wales and Lord Lytton are masters of this. It will be remembered that when the Dominion House meets new rules will be in force, to the length of speeches, which clearly shows the tendency of the age.

THE LANGDON FAIR

The Langdon and Bow River Agriculture Society will have two arena, also Boys and Girls Club Feeding competitions at their fair on Wednesday, August 8th, 1928.

The competition will be for Dairy type and beef type calves, bucket feed trials, and a registered sire. Calves entered in this competition as Dairy type must be born in January, February or March, 1928, and six, and those who wish to enter in this class please notify the secretary-treasurer of this Society before May 1, 1928, from which date care of the animal will begin.

Calves entered in this competition as beef type must be born in March, April or May, 1928, before or after, and those who wish to enter in this class please notify the secretary-treasurer of this Society before May 1, 1928, from which date care of the animal will begin.

The prizes will be as many as the sum of a cent, a cup for each class, the usual cash prizes, and a special prize which can be offered.

Both classes will be under the supervision of a selective committee, who will inspect the calves as soon as the owner declares his or her intention to enter the contest, and from time-to-time inspection will be made to ascertain if the rules are being complied with. There will be no entry fee, and the points will be given for show, manly, fitting and care.

This Society will also have an open Baby Dairy Competition. The Baby Dairy must be born from February 1st to December 31st, 1927.

LOOKS RIGHT

The difference between a cow chewing her cud and a flapper chewing her words is that a cow looks as though she were thinking—Baltimore, Md. paper.

THE SAYINGS AND WISDOMS OF MAN AND PUBLIC MEN

Reverend Thomas P. Macleod said last night that the most distressing war for progress, humanity and civilization would be one between Great Britain and the United States, but that such a war was too remote even to warrant consideration.

He said in the course of the speech at the annual dinner of the Royal Estate Board of New York, that he favored a smaller naval building program than that advocated by United States naval experts. Large naval building programs tend to competition among nations, he said, and competition, especially in armaments, tend to produce war.

"I consider a well-balanced fleet for the United States," he said, "is one consisting of 18 battleships, 28 modern light cruisers, 126 destroyers, 20 fleet submarines and 135,000 tons of aircraft carriers."

Various countries are working upon different theories, some of them apparently being diametrically opposite in practice. In Germany, for instance, the tendency is for long hours and low wages to keep down the cost of production. In the United States the tendency is toward higher wages and shorter hours on the assumption that automatic machinery, mass production, and efficient management will reduce costs and that it is economically sound to keep all possible wages flowing to buyers to supply and make the market for goods. In England, instead of business discharging the responsibility of caring for the unemployed, dolars are paid to an army of workers, partially by the Government. Recent conferences there indirectly a recognition of a reasonable working day, but the cry is for lower wages. Italy favors the regular hours, and is tending toward raising instead of lowering wages.

Hon. Mackenzie King says he is glad to have got from the Hon. H. B. Bennett, that he has never said that we are to seek to make an economic unit of the British Empire in the matter of trade. However, may I make our position clear: What we want first of all is trade, and we are prepared to have that trade be a large measure within the empire. Wherever, therefore, there is opportunity for trade we shall take advantage of it. The first of all among our equals at home and next other things very equal within other parts of the empire, then, it is to the economic interests of the citizens of the Dominion to find other markets, we shall endeavour as far as we can to obtain such markets, and the best markets possible, in all parts of the world.

Harry Oakes who has made more millions out of Lake Shore Plots than a dozen ordinary millionaires could scrape together, is a great lover of the youngsters. Recently he gave an \$85,000 risk to the town of Kirkland Lake and explained that he did it for the boys and girls.

A 21-year-old man was up in Kirkland Lake with Mr. Oakes recently. They were walking over the rink when a hub-o-a-sea type in the North corner of the rink tried to touch him for a dollar. Mr. Oakes turned him down cold.

"You give him a dollar," said the "never miss" hit said the Toronto friend. "You gave \$85,000 for a poor man's risk, and you won't give him a dollar to go to the rink?"

Mr. Oakes reply, as reported by his friend, was brief and pointed. "I gave the rink for the kids. Down you men can look after themselves."

Hon. Mackenzie King says: "I do not believe there is any danger to Great Britain that the Canadian government is not doing its part to stimulate immigration, and I do not think there has been any apathy on the part of the Canadian government in the old land in this respect. The fact is there have been economic factors at work which retarded the flow of emigration to this country."

Lord Rothemann, of London, England, recently said: "There is no danger from the conception that we are once again drifting into the position of fourteen years ago, which made a configuration inevitable when the war broke out. Unless the big nations will give a lead in this matter of disarmament, we shall probably be embroiled in a second World War of a more disastrous type than the last."

Mr. Jelliff, a member, believes that there was a demand all over Canada for a solution to the coal situation. He regretted that it was over. He said that the coal situation in Alberta was a problem. The position of fourteen years ago, which made a configuration inevitable when the war broke out. Unless the big nations will give a lead in this matter of disarmament, we shall probably be embroiled in a second World War of a more disastrous type than the last."

Extension of the Canadian Pacific Railway into the northwestern of Saskatchewan was forecast here by President E. W. Beatty at Regina. The work will be a continuation of the work of the Canadian Pacific Railway, which was built from Wadena and ends at Nipawin, almost due east of Prince Albert, and will be a link in joining the latter city with Nipawin.

General Pershing urges that the responsibilities of citizenship are in no sense perfunctory. They require the unceasing exercise of good judgment, guided by a clear and patriotic conception of what the perpetuity of our institutions demands. We cannot be truly patriotic and think only of our own local interests. Every citizen must weigh the effect of his opinion and his vote upon the welfare of the whole people. An unselfish vote is likely to be more than none, as it may be positively injurious to the rights of the people.

T. L. Church, M.P.: "When Canada is in trouble we always phone the British fleet."

W. G. Magill, secretary Winnipeg Grain Exchange: "Theories should be preached and forgotten."

W. G. Dawes, vice-president of the Canadian Stationery Association: "There are many things which show a lack of aliveness to preserve its dignity."

Michael Pagan, scientist and inventor of Colorado University: "There are many things which show a lack of aliveness to preserve its dignity."

Philip Snowden, British labor leader: "The greatest mistake the working people can make is to imagine that Tom, Dick or Harry is qualified to run a big business concern."

Upon principles of "natural justice" and not because of any legal claim, the Honourable Justice Martin considers that the Federal Government should restore to British Columbia the \$500,000 of the British Columbia Water Bolt and the Peace River Block.

It might be noted, said Premier Ferguson, that there was a very palpable error in the figures of the Railway Board, and that the correct figures for coal from Alberta to Ontario.

"It was suggested," he went on, "that if the Dominion gave one dollar of the problem needs it."

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Senator Buchanan, Lethbridge, says: "I don't like to see the public look upon the senate as a non-party body," the speaker said. "I wish it could be looked upon as a court of appeal for cases that had been tried in a lower court." The people think, he said, and he admitted that he did not blame them, that the senate is not a court of appeal, but a great national problem, and felt that the aid should come from the Federal coffers.

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D. N. GARDNER,
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